इस्पात और खान मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री रमेश बैस): (क) और (ख) योजना आयोग द्वारा दी गई सूचना के अनुसार पिछले वित्तीय वर्ष 1997-98 के दौरान खनन क्षेत्र के लिए राज्यवार मंजूर परिव्यय तथा संशोधित अनुमान विवरण में दिया गया है (नीचे देखिये)।

राज्यों/संघ शासित क्षेत्रों के लिए चालू वित्तीय वर्ष 1998-99 के वार्षिक योजना परिव्यय को अंतिम रूप नहीं दिया गया है।

(ग) और (घ) प्रश्न नहीं उठता क्योंकि चालू वित्तीय वर्ष के लिए राज्यों/संघ शासित क्षेत्रों के वार्षिक योजना परिव्यय को अंतिम रूप नहीं दिया गया है।

विवरण

वर्ष 1997-98 के दौरान खनन क्षेत्र हेतु मंजूर परिव्यय/संशोधित अनुमान

राज्य/संघ शासित क्षेत्र का नाम	मंजूर परिव्यय	संशोधित अनुमान (लाख रु० में)
1. आंध्र प्रदेश	70.00	56.00
2. अरुणाचल प्रदेश	49.00	42.00
3. असम	173.00	133.00
4. बिहार	275.00	389.00
5. गोआ	8.00	14.00
6. गुजरात	141.00	141.00
7. हरियाणा	6.00	6.00
8. हिमाचल प्रदेश	60.00	60.00
9. जम्मू और कश्मीर	331.00	331.00
10. कर्नाटक	125.00	135.00
11. केरल	200.00	200.00
12. मध्य प्रदेश	450.00	458.00
13. महाराष्ट्र	28.00	28.00
14. मणिपुर	28.00	6.00
15. मेघालय	124.00	125.00
16. मिजोरम	64.00	47.00
17. नागालैंड	250.00	250.00
18. उड़ीसा	349.00	377.00
19. पंजाब	00.00	00.00
20. राजस्थान	8465.00	8400.00
21. सिक्किम	46.00	39.00
22. तमिलनाडु	29.00	42.00
23. त्रिपुरा	3.00	3.00
24. उत्तर प्रदेश	111.00	23.00
25. पश्चिम बंगाल	313.00	105.00
संघ शासित क्षेत्र		
1. अंडमान और निकोबार द्वीप-समूह	00.00	00.00
2. चंडीगढ़	00.00	00.00
3. दादर और नागर हवेली	00.00	00.00
4. दमन और दिव	00.00	00.00
5. दिल्ली	00.00	00.00
6. लक्ष्यद्वीप	00.00	00.00
7. पांडिचेरी	00.00	368.00

Customs Duty on Different Forms of Copper

522. SHRI S.M. KRISHNA: Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received an appeal from Indian Non-Ferrous Metal Manufacturer's Association regarding having differential duty of customs between wrought (finished) and unwrought (primary) forms of Copper:

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether his Ministry have taken up the matter with the Ministry of Finance since Indian Secondary Producers have to compete with international produces;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI RAMESH BAIS): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) to (e) The representation seeks changes in the prevailing custom duty structure on copper concentrate, primary copper & semi finished products made thereof. The matter is directly related to the Budget 1998-99 scheduled to be presented to the Parliament on

1.6.98. Necessary action on the representation has already been taken by the Ministry.

Location of Mineral Wealth in States

523. SHRI GOVINDRAM MIRI: Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state what are the details of the results arrived at after explorations to locate mineral wealth by Union Government to the States of Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan and constituents of North-Eastern Region during the preceding three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI RAMESH BAIS): Statewise achievements of exploration of mineral wealth undertaken in last 3 years by Geological Survey of India (GSI) is as under:

MADHYA PRADESH

Gold: In Sonadehi area of Baster Distt., a 4.6 m Zone with 11.76 g/t of gold and 7.0 m wide zone with visible specks of gold have been intersected in the bore hole.

Gold Mineralisation is also noticed in the Banded Iron ore formation of Bailadila, Rowghat, Kotri and Dallai Rajhara Areas in Bastar and Durg Distt.

Diamond: Payalikhand and Bahradih *Kimberlites in Raipur Distt. show incidence of* diamond. Kimberlite bodies have also been found in Bastar Distt.

Base Metal: In Banskhapa-Pipariya Block Betul Distt. mineralisation, 7.2% Zinc, 1.65% Copper, 150 ppm. Cadmium and 7 ppm Silver is ascertained over a strike length of 200 m.

Ore zones containing Cu 0.35-0.42% and Zn 0.52-2.12% have been explored for 200 m along the strike in Bargaon–Tarora Block, Betul Distt.

Dimension Stone: Blocks of dimensional stones have been demarcated in the District of Balaghat, Seoni, Gwalior, Shivpuri and Datia.

Coal: An additional total reserve of 1781 million Tones (MT) of coal has been estimated in different coalfields as at Mand-Raigarh–1538 MT, Korba-52 MT, Sohagpur-44 MT. Tatapani-Ramkhola-87 Mt and Hasdo-Arant-60 MT.

RAJASTHAN

The reserves of gold and basemetal established are given below:–

Gold: In Bhukia area of Banswara Distt. 2.49 mt. reserves of gold ore of 1.5–3.00 g/t and in Pindwara Watera Block of Sirohi Distt. 1.450 mt. of gold ores of 0.5-2 g/t.

Base-Metal: (i) In South Sindesar Ridge, Distt. Rajsamand, a total reserve of 1.12 mt. of lead+Zinc 2.25% (ii) At Latio Ka Khera in Rajsamand Distt. Lead + Zinc 4.06% with a reserve of 5.58 mt. of ores. (iii) In Sawar area of Rajasthan (Tikhi Extension) a total of 3.57 mt of ores of Lead+Zinc 3.93% and Copper 0.09 to 0.15% (iv) A reserve of 3.28 mt of ores containing 0.83% Copper at Dariba (Akola) Distt. Chittorgarh.

Granite: Some of the good dimensional stones under the trade name as black cobra, pink cobra have been identified and mapped in parts of Bhilwara, Rajsamand and Ajmer Distts., respectively.

North Eastern Region

MEGHALAYA

Limestone: Regional investigation of Limestone in Litang River Valley area Jainita Hills Distt., has revealed a total of 2265 mt of *reserves, while detailed investigation in three* selected blocks of the same area has proved 1405 million tonnes of limestone comprising 376 MT of cement grade/Blast Furnace grade, 653 MT of Steel Melting Shop grade, 211 MT of chemical grade and 165 MT of Linz Donnaniz grade.

Dimension Stone: In Mylliem, Nongstoin, Sonapahar and Halliday Ganj areas, granite and dolomite blocks suitable as dimension stones for slabs/tiles, have been delineated.

ARUNACHAL PRADESH

Quartzite: Investigation for quartizite near Kalaktang has yielded 3.13 million tonnes of ferrosilicon grade quartzite.

ASSAM

Dimension Stone: In Burapaharsekoni Ridge Area of Nowgong and Karbi Anglong District medium grained grey granite & pink porphyritic granite have been demarcated.